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Appl. Serial Number	09/462,475
Filing Date	January 14, 2000
First Named Inventor	M. Watanabe
Group Art Unit	1725
Examiner Name	Ch. Ildebrando
Attorney Docket Number	2922.134

Title: Catalyst for Oxidizing Reformed Gas

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2003 and the Advisory Action of July 17, 2003, Applicant submits the following amendments and response.

Under the provisions of § 1.136(a), applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2003 for one month from July 8, 2003 to August 8, 2003. Enclosed is a check for \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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